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SUBJECT: ITALIAN UNIONISTS SEEK TO AID SPANISH "CARABACHEL  
TEN"

REF: MADRID'S 1082

HAVING ATTENDED THE TRIAL OF THE "CARABACHEL 10" IN MADRID, A  
DELEGATION OF ITALIAN TRADE UNIONISTS HELD A PRESS CONFERENCE ON  
FEBRUARY 18. ON BEHALF OF THE FEDERATION CGIL-CISL-UIL (CCU), THEY  
HAVE RAISED A SERIES OF PROPOSALS DESIGNED TO APPLY PRESSURE TO  
SPANISH AUTHORITIES FOR THE RELEASE OF THE "1500 POLITICAL PRI-  
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SONERS IN SPAIN" AS WELL AS THE 10,000 OTHERS BEING EITHER HELD

IN PRELIMINARY CUSTODY OR PROVISIONALLY RELEASED."

THE PROPOSALS INCLUDE "SELECTIVE BOYCOTTS" OF SPANISH AIRLINES, AND OF FIRMS WHICH DO BUSINESS IN BOTH SPAIN AND ITALY. THE CCU ALSO INTENDS TO COLLECT ONE MILLION SIGNATURES TO SUPPORT AN AMNESTY PETITION BEING COORDINATED BY "THE SPANISH CATHOLIC ORGANIZATION 'JUSTICE AND PEACE.'" IN ADDITION, THE CCU IS THINKING OF PROPOSING MARCELLINO CAMACHO FOR THE NOBEL PEACE PRIZE, IT WAS STATED AT THE PRESS CONFERENCE.

AMONG THE TRADE UNIONISTS IN THE DELEGATION WERE ELIO GIOVANNINI, CGIL NATIONAL SECRETARY AND A MEMBER OF THE FAR LEFT PDUP PARTY; VALERIANO GIORGI, MEMBER OF THE CGIL GENERAL COUNCIL AND NATIONAL SECRETARY OF THE CGIL CONSTRUCTION WORKERS UNION; GIUSEPPE ULIVI, NATIONAL SECRETARY OF CISL'S CHEMICAL WORKERS UNION; AND EMILIO GABAGLIO, OFFICIAL OF ACLI, THE CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC WORKERS' MOVEMENT.

COMMENT: IT IS NOT CLEAR WHETHER THE PETITION IS IDENTICAL WITH THE ONE REFERRED TO IN REFTEL. NONE OF THE KNOWN PARTICIPANTS IN THE DELEGATION WHICH VISITED MADRID CAN BE DESCRIBED AS A HEAVYWEIGHT IN ITALIAN LABOR CIRCLES. IT THEREFORE FOLLOWS THAT NOT ALL OF THE DELEGATION'S RECOMMENDATIONS WILL NECESSARILY BE ADOPTED. VOLPE

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